

REMARKS

The applicant has carefully reviewed and considered the Office Action of 23 February 2007 and wishes to express his appreciation respecting the substantive allowance of claims 10 - 20. In response to this Office Action the applicant wishes to accept the allowed coverage. Thus, claim 1 is now amended to incorporate the subject matter of substantively allowed claim 10 and any intervening claims. Claims 2-10, 23 and 24 are canceled without prejudice. Claim 11 is amended to depend from claim 1. With these amendments, claims 1 and 11-20 should be allowed.

In summary all the pending claims patentably distinguish over the prior art and should be formally allowed. Upon careful review and consideration it is believed the Examiner will agree with this proposition. Accordingly, the early issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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